WINNERS IN VICA CONTEST held March 5 from ACHS were, left to right, Buddy Hudson, 2nd place - small engine repair; Billy Martin, 1st place - spelling; and Duane Hogan, 1st place - current events.

SHIRLEY KRESS, JOHN BAILEY, AND MIKE JARRELL, left to right were winners in the recently held VICA Contest. Shirley won third place in job interview; John won 3rd place in occupational display; and Mike won third place in architectural drafting.

VICA CONTEST HELD

On March 5, 1977 Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) members at Appomattox County High School competed in the District III VICA SKILL Contests held at George Washington High School in Danville. Six of these students won either 1st, 2nd or 3rd place in their respective contests.

First place winners were Billy Martin - Spelling; Duane Hogan - Current Events; Second place winner was Buddy Hudson in Small Engine Repair; and the third place winners were Michael Jarrel - Architectural Drafting; Shirley Kress - Job Interview; and John Bailey - Occupational Display.

Congratulations to all these students on their outstanding performance.

Ken Davis, ACHS
VICA Reporter

CAREER ASSEMBLY AT ACHS FEATURES FREE LANCE ARTIST

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who taught restorations. She left Germany in 1955 and lived in New York City before coming to Virginia. She had an antique shop in New York City and did restorations. She teaches art privately, does paintings and sells them.

Ms. Kazuko Kadota, her assistant, was born in California and came to New York City after the war in 1946. She studied art at New York City College and attended Hunter College. She is an expert in drafting. Ms. Kadota taught fine arts in a junior high school in New York City and worked in that same shop with Ms. Stokes before moving to Virginia.

The presentation concluded with a question-answer period.

NATIONAL FIRM OPENS LOCAL OFFICE

STROUT REALTY, INC. has opened a branch office in Appomattox, it was announced this week. The large number of prospective buyers who have indicated an interest in this area was the prime reason for establishing this office.

Joel (Joey) George and Mike George of Lynchburg have joined the office according to information received by the **TIMES-VIRGINIAN** from the Company's Home Office.

Joey, a native of Appomattox, worked for 12 years as a commercial artist with Lynchburg Engraving Company before joining the sales staff at Old Colonial Realty of Lynchburg and now joins Strout Realty as Co-Branch Manager at their new office in Appomattox.

Mike, also a native of Appomattox, worked as a real estate sales associate for Bryan W. Wood and Company and for Seven Hills, Ltd. in Lynchburg for the past three years prior to joining Strout as Co-Branch Manager. He is a graduate of Realtors Institute.

Both Joey and Mike are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. George of Appomattox.

Strout Realty, Inc. has over 600 offices throughout the United States, selling all types of real estate. Joel and Mike invite property owners to avail themselves of Strout's Nationwide service. The new office is located on Confederate Blvd. (Route 460) across from Appomattox Garment Company.

(L. to R.) Baxter Parris, Tom Hix, Nathan Smith, and William Purdue attended farm show and tractor pull.

LOCAL YOUTHS ATTEND NATIONAL FARM MACHINERY SHOW

Members of the Appomattox Senior FFA Chapter and the Appomattox Young Farmers Club recently attended the National Farm Machinery Show and Tractor Pull in Louisville, Kentucky. those attending included Danny Carson, William Prrdue, Nathan Smith, Tom Hix, Baxter Parris, Sammy and Sheila Martin, Eddie Covington and Dennis Torrence.

The National Farm Machinery Show is held each year at the Kentucky State Fair grounds with over ten acres of displays under cover. All the Mason Machinery Companies across the nation displayed the latest farm equipment known around the world as the most modern and sophisticated in use today. Over 175,000 people viewed the displays over a four day period.

Also observed by the Appomattox group was the exciting 15th annual National Tractor Pull contest. For four nights a full house of 15,000 fans watched farmers across the U. S. compete for $57,000 in cash prizes.

The trip was part of the instructional program in agricultural education at A. C. H. S.

FFA Public Speaking Winner

David Stratton (right) won the FFA HUB Federation Public Speaking Contest after winning the Appomattox Senior Chapter competition. He is shown above being presented a plaque by Mrs. Eva Shober, Elementary Supervisor of Amherst Schools, who served as a judge.

This contest was held at Amherst Junior High School on March 3. On March 24, David will compete at the area contest to be held at Appomattox County High School.

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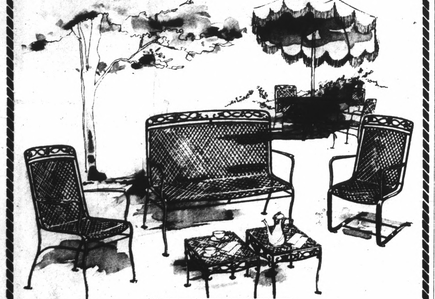

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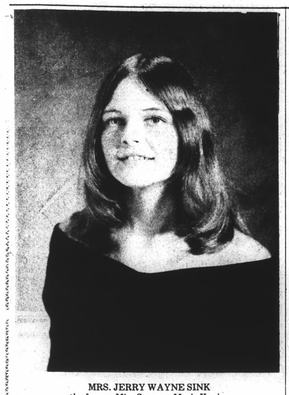

MRS. JERRY WAYNE SINK
the former Miss Suzanne Marie Kanipe

Vows Exchanged

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kanipe announce the marriage of their daughter, Suzanne Marie, to Jerry Wayne Sink, son of Mrs. Lucille Sink and the late Mr. Sink.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Callaham, pastor of the Church of God, in Princeton, West Virginia, on February 24, 1977.

Mr. and Mrs. Kanipe are having a reception on Sunday, March 20, 1977, at their home from 2 to 4 p.m. in honor of Jerry and Suzanne. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Miss Torrence Wed To Kenneth Lee Jones

The marriage of Miss Delores Jean Torrence to Kenneth Lee Jones was an event of March 5, 1977 at Spout Spring Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Doris Dalton and Mr. Allen Torrence of Appomattox and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs.Ruth Oliver of Fort Belvoir and the late Mr. Alsie L. Jones of Richmond, Virginia.

The Rev. H. C. Crabree, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Miss Linda Torrence of Appomattox was her sister's only attendant.

Richard Sweeney of Appomattox was the groom's best man.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of Appomattox County High School and is employed by Genesco Garment Company in Appomattox.

The groom is a 1971 graduate of Partick Henry High School and is employed by J. S. Bryant Trucking Company of Lynchburg.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Appomattox.

ACHS Student Served As A General Assembly Clerk 9 Weeks

John Foxwell, a ninth grade student at Appomattox County High School, has returned home after spending nine weeks in Richmond. John was selected to serve as a Clerk for the Senate Legislative Services during the 1977 session of the General Assembly. He went to Richmond on January 5, a week before the session actually started, to learn the job he would be performing during the session. While away from school John has been doing independent studying to keep up with his classmates.

John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Foxwell. While in Richmond he stayed with his grandmother, Mrs. M. J. McCue.

Honored Upon Retirement

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Brightwell of Rou e 1, Charlotte Court House, Va. were guests of honor at the Wedgewood Country Club in Farmville on Saturday evening March 5, 1977. Mr. Brightwell was being honored upon retirement after 34 years of fine work and achievement with the Kyanite Mining Corporation of Dillwyn, Va. He served in the capacity of superintendent for 18 of those years at the Bakers Mountain and the Pamplin plants.

Other guests included the officials and employees of the plant and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Morris of Charlottesville, Va. After a delicious dinner, Mr. Brightwell was presented with many lovely gifts.

Although the Kyanite Mining Corporaton expressed a desire to have Mr. Brightwell continue with his work, he declined.Retired from public service, Mr. Brightwell is by no means retired from living; his farm, gardening, and especially his hobby of fishing will keep him busy. Friends and business associates of this fine couple wish them many happy years of retirement.

SPOUT SPRING CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The Spout Spring Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Mary Moon Thursday night at 7:30 p.m.

Members are asked to make every effort to be present.

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Delar-Wilson Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cedar of McLean have announced the engagement of their daughter, Susan Diane, to Stephen Parker Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hannon Wilson of Appomattox.

Both are recent graduates of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Miss Cedar has a teaching position in Fredericksburg.

Mr. Wilson has a position with Moffatt Bearings Company in Richmond.

The wedding will take place on July 9, 1977 at McLean.

Beta Sigma Phi Notes

The first monthly meeting of February for the Delta Zeta Chapter was held February 9, 1977 at the Avalon Club. The business meeting was dispensed with as members of the chapter and the XiGamma Tau chapter discussed last minute details and decorated the club for their annual Valentine Dance to be February 11, 1977.

On February 23, 1977 the second monthly meeting was held at the home of Christine Knight. Members, pledges and guests enjoyed refreshments as our president conducted the business meeting. Final plans for our next social, a night of bowling and pizza, were made. Committees were appointed and supplies ordered for our annual Founders Day Banquet, which will be held the latter part of April. A two member committee was appointed to begin preparations for our scholarship, to be given to a high school senior.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, Christine Knight and Janice McCormick presedented a program entitled "Esthetics - Perception of Beauty."

Local Student Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

LYNCHBURG - Julia Sheffield Hesson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian B. Hesson, of Route 2, Gladstone, Va., was among 15 students at Randolph-Macon Woman's College recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa honorary society. Students who have done most of their work at R-MWC or at another institution which has a chapter of Phi Beta Kappa were eligible. In addiiton to high academic standing, criteria for election include a broad and balanced program in liberal arts and recommendation from faculty and members of the senior class.

Ms. Hesson, a senior, is majoring in History.

WRECK ISLAND CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Wreck Island Homemakers Extension Club will meet on Wednesday, March 16th at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Eloise Wheeler.

The topic of the demonstration is "Dress Well For Less". Members are encouraged to attend.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN

A birthday party was given Sunday, March 6, 1977 in honor of Miss Cindy Jean Weaver of Pamplin.

The party was given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Weaver.

Society News

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Franklin and Randy visited Mrs. Franklin's brother, Harry, at Ranson's Nursing Home in Keysville on Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hudson of Roxboro, North Carolina spent several days last week with his sister, Mrs. Eddie Wooldridge.

Senior FFA Mother-Member Banquet To Be Held

On Thursday, March 24, 1977 the Appomattox Senior Chapter, Future Homemakers of America will hold its annual Mother-Member Banquet.

The banquet will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Appomattox County High School cafeteria.

All members and their mothers are encouraged to attend. Members may sign up to attend in their Home Ec classes.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES-VIRGINIAN

Jacob Lewis entered Virginia Baptist Hospital Monday where he is receiving treatment.

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Bob Stubblefield returned home this morning from Bartlesville, Oklahoma where he was called due to the death of his mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hubbard, Jr. of Richmond are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hamlett of Red House and Mrs. Mildred Hubbard of Appomattox. Mr. Hubbard, a student at Medical College of Virginia, School of Pharmacy, is now on spring break.

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Mrs. Eddie Wooldridge spent several days this week in Richmond where she visited her husband who is a patient in McGuire Veterans Hospital.

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COLLEGE SENIOR WORKING ON HONORS

LYNCHBURG - Julia Sheffield Hesson, a senior at Randolph-Macon Woman's College is presently working on her Honors in History.

Ms. Hesson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian B. Hesson of Gladstone.

COLLEGE SENIOR COMPLETED WORKING ON HER HONORS IN ENGLISH

LYNCHBURG - Katherine Martin Gray, a senior at Randolph-Macon Woman's College has recently completed working on her Honors in English.

Ms. Gray resides at Rt. 1, Rose Dale, Pamplin.

PAMPLIN WELCOMES PASTOR AS NEIGHBOR

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Atkins, Jr. and family are welcomed to the community of Pamplin.

They are living in Mrs. Mabel Welch Hills' house. Rev. Atkins is the pastor of the Church of God of Prophecy in Appomattox.

U.D.C. To Meet Thursday, March 17

The Appomattox Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet in the home of Mrs. O. W. Martin, Jr. in Oakville at noon Thursday, March 17.

All members are invited to come and bring a covered dish for luncheon.

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Rev. Paul Balthaser brought a fine message to the people of Central Baptist Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lively and family, Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman & family, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Tucker, Mrs. Dale Jones, Mrs. Loretta mayberry, and Mrs. Elliott Nash and Dawn Kerr & Lesia & Cheryl Tucker attended the Gospel singing at Hebron Church Saturday night.

Miss Marcella Lively of Lynchburg College is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lively.

The W. M. U. of Central Church are having a week of Prayer this week. They will met in the home of Mrs. Mae Zimmerman on Tuesday afternoon at the church on Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Shelby Tucker, Thursday afternoon and at Mrs. Frank Lively's Friday night.

Mrs.Robert Mullins and Mrs. Florence Jennings visited Mrs. Lucille Mullins Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coleman visited Mrs. Laura Ferguson Sunday p.m. They also visited Mrs. Will Mann Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Cordell and Mrs. Pete Martin visited Mrs. Will Mann on Friday.

Mrs. Alta Hopkins was dinner guest of Mrs. Vennie Jones on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann visited Mrs. Helen Brooks Monday.

Mrs. Nelson Mann and Mrs. Henry Mann attended a Stork shower for Mrs. Cecil May at Providence Church at Red House Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Mann and Mrs. Nancy Mann and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann last week.

Mrs. Nelson Mann, Mrs. Henry Mann, Mrs. Elliott Nash and Jenifer Nash visited Mrs. Ryland Mann Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Richard Nash and Mrs. Elliott Nash and Dawn Kerr visited Mr. and Mrs.David Carson and Susan Tuesday night.

Guests in the home of Elliott Nash on Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. George D. Nash and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nash and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nash visited Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Nash and Dawn Saturday evening.

Mrs. David Carson and Susan and Mrs.Richrd Nash had birthday lunch with Mrs. Ray Layne of Lynchburg on Monday. It was Mrs. layne's birthday.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Perlie Jones, who passed away Monday. A fine man of this community, he will surely be missed.

PAMPLIN METHODIST MEN TO SPONSOR PANCAKE SUPPER

On Saturday, March 12, the Pamplin Charge United Methodist Men are sponsoring a pancake and sausage supper at the Pamplin Fire Hall at 4:30 p.m. All the pancakes you can eat for $2.00 and children $1.00. Half of the proceeds goes for VUMAR Agency for retarded children. Come out and support these men.

Pamplin P-TA To Meet Tuesday

The Pamplin Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association will meet Tuesday, March 15th at 7:30 p.m.

Parents and teachers are encouraged to attend.

MISS NANCYE PAGE MATHEWS

Engagement Is Announced

Dr. and Mrs. John A. Mathews of Appomattox announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancye Page, to James D. Greenwood, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Greenwood, Sr. of Richmond.

The wedding is planned for May 28, 1977.

CANDY DEMONSTRATION

There will be a candy demonstration, Tuesday March 15, 1977 at 7:30 p.m. the Evergreen Community Center. You will learn to do all types of candy such as chocolate covered cherries, coconut bon bons, peanut butter cups and all your Easter candy such as hollow easter bunnies, suckers and filled Easter eggs decorated. Come and see what you can do to save money for Easter. There will be a $1.00 admission which will include all of your recipes.

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